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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. SIC-03-026

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:) Examiner: Thomas R. Hannon
TAKANORI KANEHISA, et al) Art Unit: 3682
Application No.: 10/604,815)
Filed: August 19, 2003)
For: BEARING APPARATUS FOR A)
BICYCLE HUB)

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Commissioner:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2005. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.
 Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 with copies of cited foreign references.
 Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	20	MINUS	21	0
INDEP.	6	MINUS	3	3
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SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
OR		OR	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x25=	\$	x50=	\$
x100=	\$	3x200=	\$600
+180=	\$	+360=	\$
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL	
\$		\$600	

- No fee is due.

- Claims fee \$ 600
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Form PTO-2038 for \$ 600 is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
 DELAND LAW OFFICE

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